



THE MARION STAR

SYRACUSE CAPTURED BY ALLIES

U. S. Troops Beat Off Counterattacks; 10 Towns Taken

ITALIAN BEACH DEFENSES FOLD UNDER ASSAULT

Canadians Slice Through Barriques and Drive Toward Interior.



GEN. MONTGOMERY

LIEUT GEN. PATTON

Following is a detailed account of the Canadian assault on southeastern Sicily and the 24 hours of their invasion.

By ROSS MUNROE
Canadian Press
War Correspondent
Distributed by
The Associated Press

WITH THE CANADIANS IN SOUTHEAST SICILY, July 11—(Delayed) — Slicing through Italian defenses in night and dawn landings on the long crescent beach, Canadian assault troops with a crack British formation on the right flank overran Pachino peninsula within 24 hours and established an invasion bridgehead.

It has been one success after another in this Canadian-British sector as the greatest combined operation in history was launched.

Canadian assault troops have advanced into hilly country northwest and west of Pachino, and major engagements are expected with probably more determined Italians than the coastal defenders who put up only a mild fight.

The past night and day have been one incredible series of incidents. I landed alongside the first wave of assault companies of a famous Canadian regiment on the sandy beach of Costa Dell' Ambra, four miles southwest of Pachino, at 5:15 yesterday morning and the Canucks have been rushing ahead ever since. It is a tough job keeping up with them on two feet.

Canadian casualties for the first day were very light. The colonel who heads the divisional medical service said less than 40 had been reported to him so far. During my trip around the battle zone I only saw three wounded soldiers who had been hit cleaning out a pillbox just before the beach defense collapsed.

There is a British hospital ship in our convoy now. It is lighted up at night.

The Italian beach defenses which folded up like a concerto were merely barbed wire and some machinegun posts which fired a few bursts and then gave up. On our beach the enemy evidently was counting on a sandbank 15 feet offshore as a natural defense. But the Canadians surprised them completely by coming in the heavy surf and hauling ashore through water to their waist.

Coastal batteries shelled the beach, but their firing was erratic. The Canucks went through the beach defenses in a matter of minutes, cleared the beach defense and struck inland, mopping up groups of Italians en route.

More than 700 prisoners, including 10 officers, have been captured by the Canadians already. All day columns of prisoners poured down from the front, happy looking crowds guarded by one or two soldiers.

CALL ISSUED FOR GAS APPLICATIONS
Motorists Warned Time Will Be Up July 21.

C. C. Holliday, general secretary of the Marion county rationing board, today urged motorists in the county to file their applications for "A" gasoline ration books if they have not already done so.

He said that about 10,000 of the expected 12,000 applications have been received at the office. He said these are being processed at a rate of about 1,000 a day by volunteer workers. Members of the Girls' Daughters organization, many public school teachers and unaffiliated individuals are helping as volunteers, he said.

Unless the balance of drivers who have not yet mailed or taken racing applications to the racing office in the Cummington section, cutting flood the of roads with applications at the last general election, new books by July 15. Applications must be made by July 21.

Win, Then Tell About It, Is Allied Plan in Sicily Campaign

By DEWITT MACKENZIE

Our tight-lipped allied high command is doing much and saying little about the Sicilian invasion but our information is sufficient to tell us that we have established our bridgeheads along a hundred mile stretch of the southeast coast of the island and thus have successfully inaugurated the greatest amphibious attack of history.

Through these all-important gaps in the axis defenses already are pouring the reinforce-

GERMANS MAKE SLOW ADVANCE

Second Week of Russian Campaign Opens with Little Change in Lines.

By The Associated Press

MOSCOW, July 12 — Field Marshal Guenther von Kluge's armored columns began the second week of the Kursk offensive today on much the same ground where it opened July 5.

After seven disastrous days of battle, the Germans have succeeded only in minor gains with the loss of 2,500 tanks and 1,000 planes, according to Soviet operational communiques.

(The German radio in a broadcast recorded by The Associated Press) claimed that in the Belgorod area they had captured 28,000 Russian prisoners since July 5, but had captured or destroyed 1,640 tanks and 1,400 guns.

There are few details available on the present situation in the Belgorod breach at the southern end of the 200-mile central front but the Russians have reported that they repelled a Nazi attack by more than 100 tanks, including the new 60-ton Tigers. Red army artillery and aviation, protecting the Red infantry, destroyed 34 tanks and dispersed the remainder, the Russians said.

"Altogether the Russians say they have repelled 10 German attempts to advance on the Belgorod sector."

While still working hard to break through in the Belgorod area, the Germans attacked strongly in the Orel-Kursk sector at the northern end of the Kursk salient.

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Of the two axis capitals Berlin took the news of the invasion more calmly, pointing out that it had long been expected and declaring that advance allied paratroopers and airborne units had been annihilated or surrounded and captured.

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One would expect the allies to

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ALLIES OCCUPY NUMEROUS CITIES. The close-up topographical map of Sicily, above, shows the location of most of the towns and cities captured by the allied invaders thus far. Among the latest is the important city of Syracuse. Others include Avola, Pachino, Pozzallo, Scoglitti, Gela, Licata, Ispica, Rosolini and Noto. An unconfirmed report says that the airport at Catania has also been seized.



INVASION FLEET LOADED. Invasion ships which moved to Sicily in the drive on that Italian island are loaded in a harbor for the blow. Assault troops and supplies are taken aboard. Note other ships farther out in the harbor. (More Sicily pictures on pages 7, 13.)

ALL EUROPE AWAITS NEW ALLIED BLOWS

By The Associated Press

BERN, July 12 — The entire fortress of Europe was on the alert today for new lightning attacks as axis leaders in Germany and Italy anxiously watched the progress of the battle for the Mediterranean island of Sicily.

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New Ceiling Prices for Groceries Go in Effect Today

By The Associated Press

MARION HOUSEWIVES today began their purchasing of groceries on the new "dollars and cents" ceiling prices and experienced little difficulty with price adjustments ordered by the OPA officials at Washington.

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MUNDA TAKES HEAVY BLOW FROM BOMBERS

By The Associated Press

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN THE SOUTHWEST PACIFIC, July 12 — American bombers pounded four widely-separated Japanese bases in the southwest Pacific Sunday, striking most heavily at Munda, the enemy's key defense point in the central Solomons.

More than 170 tons of bombs were loosed on the Japanese strongholds and at least nine Zeroes which attempted to interfere were shot down. One Liberator and two allied fighters were lost.

Torpedo and dive-bombers smashed 52 tons of heavy bombs upon anti-aircraft positions and bivouac areas near Munda. Stormy weather hampered the Avengers and Dauntless bombers as they roared in on Munda in another of the series of raids designed to soften the sector for ground forces already gathering in the jungle to storm the Japanese stronghold.

A headquarters spokesman said the ground situation at Munda was unchanged. Latest reports said United States forces were closing in on the outer perimeter of defense, with the nearest troops only three miles from Munda.

Liberator bombers over Bougainville dropped 40 tons of bombs on Kahili, the enemy's largest air base in the Solomons. Several large fires were started. Three Japanese night fighters attempted unsuccessfully to intercept.

In the Salamaua area, Mitchell bombers, escorted by P-38s, dropped down almost to tree-top levels to deliver a devastating attack on villages along the trail from Mubo to Salamaua.

Primary Registration Time Ends Tonight

Marion residents who are not qualified to vote have until 9 o'clock tonight to register in order to be eligible for Aug. 10 primary election. C. G. Ritzler, deputy clerk of the Marion county board of elections, estimated today that about 300 persons have registered.

INVADERS SEIZE 2,000 PRISONERS, MOSTLY ITALIANS

(BULLETIN)

By The Associated Press

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN NORTH AFRICA, July 12 — Gen. Sir Bernard L. Montgomery's British armies raced toward Catania from captured Syracuse in a tremendous push up Sicily's east coast today after American and allied forces had captured nine other important ports and towns, turned back seven counter-attacks by enemy tanks and captured 2,000 prisoners, mostly Italians.

By The Associated Press

The mighty allied invasion forces sweeping into Sicily have captured Syracuse, ancient port on the eastern coast, and other key Italian defense bases including Licata, Gela and Pozzallo ranged along the southern coast, allied headquarters announced today.

In all, ten towns were taken.

These great victories came on the second day of the assault, the greatest such operation in any war, as allied planes in a furious battering at axis defenders destroyed or damaged 400 enemy vehicles rushing soldiers and supplies to the front.

2,000 Axis Prisoners Taken

More than 2,000 prisoners have been taken and strong tank-supported axis counterattacks have been thrown back, today's communiqué from allied headquarters declared.

The allies were throwing a steel ring around the southeastern area of Sicily over the long coastline from Licata, nearly a middle point of southern Sicily, to Syracuse. Avola, halfway between Syracuse and Capo Passero, southeastern tip of Sicily, was another point captured.

Also taken were Pachino, Scoglitti, Ispica, Rosolini and Noto.

Pozzallo surrendered after a heavy bombardment by a destroyer.

"The task of disembarking troops and their supplies on all beaches continues according to plan" and ground forces have "continued to make good progress," the war bulletin said.

Hundreds of allied planes struck at enemy defenders yesterday.

The British swept into the ancient port of Syracuse, a city of 53,000 last night while allied forces mopped up nine other major ports and towns in southeast Sicily, repulsed seven counter-attacks by enemy tanks and took 2,000 prisoners.

Licata, 80 miles to the west on the south coast; Gela; Pachino, on Cape Passero at the extreme southeastern tip of the island; Avola and Noto, midway between Syracuse and Pachino; Pozzallo, on the south coast; Scoglitti; Ispica, and Rosolini were among the captured places listed in today's allied headquarters communiqué.

Yanks Beat Off Attack

American troops in the Gela area beat off counterattacks by the Italian's fourth Livorno division and 43 tanks in the heaviest of all the seven enemy counter-attacks.

Casualties among the allies continued much less than might normally be expected in such a sweeping offensive.

Swarms of allied fighters patrolled the beaches, protecting the operations, however, and 45 enemy aircraft were shot down yesterday. Only nine allied planes were lost.

One allied hospital ship, which was fully lighted and anchored three miles off the Sicilian coast, was sunk Saturday night by enemy bombers, but the 400 wounded were successfully transferred.

As a result of the swiftness of allied action, it was said at headquarters that the enemy was being compelled to regroup his forces and most of his counter-attacks up to now had been comparatively weak.

Most of the Italians, especially, were reported fighting poorly, and most of the 2,000 prisoners taken were Italians.

Between the wings of the allied forces, buttressed at Licata

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WEATHER REPORT

Continued rather warm tonight with widely scattered thunderstorms.

LOCAL TEMPERATURES

Noon Today 78

(For period between 8 a.m. yesterday and 8 a.m. today)

Maximum 82

Minimum 65

Rainfall .36 of an inch

One Year Ago Today 89

Maximum 65

Minimum 63

Response Lags After Plea for Part-Time Farm Hands

Wheat and Hay Harvesting This Week Expected To Bring Calls for Help; Few Workers Available.

Two more part time farm workers finally have been procured by O. E. Barks, special Marion county farm labor assistant, bringing to three the total of such emergency laborers who have registered since an appeal for volunteers was issued by Mr. Barks and Arthur Smith, county agricultural extension agent, three weeks ago.

To supplement the number of full time workers secured by Mr. Barks since his appointment as labor assistant two months ago, two more steady employees for county farms registered at the extension office last week. Calls for both part time and full time laborers last week were fewer than ever before since the farm manpower shortage grew so critical early this spring.

Mr. Barks also added that none of the four workers registered last week could be placed until this week because of the farms throughout last week. However, he is certain he will encounter

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CANTOR ENJOYS A NIGHT OUT. Comedian Eddie Cantor, his wife Ida and their five daughters enjoy an evening at a New York night club. In this comparatively rare picture of the famous family, Janet (center) offers her father a light for his cigarette while Natalie (left) and Edna look on. Seated, left to right, are Margaret, Mrs. Cantor, Eddie and Marilyn.

stressed the word "few") of the men to agree to work on a farm, if only for a few hours a day.

Some Fear Farm "Draft"

Although gloom has predominated among farm labor officials over the negative results obtained from the letter replies, a few of the letters have supplied some amusement.

Some of the draft free men believe that the local agricultural extension office has a government-decreed, extraordinary power to "pull" exempted men from farm experience off their present jobs into positions on Marion county farms. Several of the men have come personally to the extension office, excited and nervous, believing they would be compelled to quit profitable factory jobs to do farm work.

Mr. Barks and Mr. Smith wish to correct such perplexed men. There is no such coercion implied in the letters and the notices were only issued as another attempt to find some additional and invaluable farm labor, they explain.

It was formerly erroneously believed by some persons that Marion county farmers are collectively purchasing combines allotted by the state rationing board for important harvesting tasks. In reality, individual farmers are buying such equipment. However, the county as a whole will benefit by the allotment of the combines since the farmers who do buy them will do custom work for farmers who have no combines.

The securing of these combines closely links the labor work of the county agricultural extension agent and Mr. Marks with the recently formed county farm wage board. Custom rates for combining were established by the wage board Friday in their initial hearing and these rates will be employed when work with the new rationed combines begins into full gear.

Social Hour Features

Caledonia Meeting

Special to The Star

CALEDONIA—After a regular meeting of Deborah chapter, Rebecca Lodge, Wednesday, a social hour was a feature. Mrs. Mary Bending, Mrs. Violet Stafford and Mrs. Jeannette Frey were hostesses.

Peggy Lee and Patsy Lee Irey played piano duets and sang hymns. Jeannette Frey gave a reading and Barbara Groves entertained with a skipping rope dance and military tap dance. Mrs. Elizabeth Byers won a contest.

The Shining Star 4-H club held a picnic at the school Thursday with Marlene Weston and Ann Clark hostesses. It was decided to have a wiener roast July 13.

Soldiers Overseas To Hear Bob Hope Show

By The Associated Press

NEW YORK, July 12—Broadcasts of special shows by any of its comedians who go overseas to entertain boys and girls in the service have been made a "must" for NBC's summer schedule. The first of these will come Saturday afternoon with the cooperation of Bob Hope and his aides.

Hope, together with Frances Langford, Tony Romano and Jack Pepper, will direct their efforts to United Nations soldiers, performing before a visible audience in a theater in Wales.

Two more programs, about the last to do so, start summer vacations after tonight's broadcasts, both to return on the same date, Sept. 13. They are the Radio Theater on CBS at 9 and Information Please of NBC at 10:30.

WILLARD STANSBERRY RITES

Special to The Star

UPPER SANDUSKY, July 12—Willard Stansberry died Friday at his home west of Brownstown after a month's illness. Services

will be held Tuesday at 2 p. m. at Salem Methodist church at Salem township. Burial will be

MARIONITE ON WAR DEPT. LIST OF PRISONERS

By The Associated Press

Pfc. George Eyre Among Those Listed as Held by Japs.

A Marion man is one of four Ohio soldiers listed as prisoners of war in an official war department announcement today. The Associated Press reported. He is Pfc. George Robert Eyre of 181 Charles street whose parents were notified by the war department June 30 that he was a prisoner of war of the Japanese. The Star carried a detailed story about him at that time.

His parents first received word a little over a year ago that he was "missing" in action. In January, 1942, they were notified that he had been wounded in action. Pfc. Eyre was the first Marion soldier officially reported as wounded in the war.

Other Ohioans on the new prisoner list are Second Lieut. Anthony A. Alaimo of Camden, prisoner of the Germans, and Pfc. John E. Dugan of Quaker City and Pfc. Richard A. Wilson of near Warren, prisoners of the Japanese.

Tough Luck And Good Luck Come Together for Yank

By The Associated Press

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN NORTH AFRICA, July 11—The fliers and the ground crew crowded around Second Lieut. Jim Buster Jr., of Selma, Ala., when he gently said, "Tough luck, Jim. That really is a tough break."

Jim had just landed his Boston bomber on Pantelleria Island after a bombing raid on Trapani. He had to make a belly landing because the bomber's hydraulic system had been damaged by German fighters.

He made the landing safely and started to climb out of the cockpit when he fell and sprained his knee badly.

It's a bum break, Jim," his mates said as they carried him away.

And then they came back and looked at his damaged ship. Their eyes popped and their jaws dropped.

A full load of bombs was still in the bomb bay and the doors were slightly open.

Jim never knew that the deadly "eggs" hadn't dropped. He knew the ship had been hit by anti-aircraft fire over the target, but he thought the bombs had gone and then he had to come back with his hydraulic system damaged to make a belly landing on Pantelleria.

With enough explosives hanging beneath the ship to blow everything nearby to little pieces, he had belly-landed the Boston.

Happy Stitchers 4-H Club Elects Officers

Special to The Star

AGOSTA—The Happy Stitchers 4-H club met Thursday at the school. Officers elected are: secretary, Joan Corbin; treasurer, Iris Keeton; news reporter, Barbara Chapman; Juanita Behner was selected a member of the junior fair board.

Virginia Meredith passed out book material to three new members, Lois and Iris Keeton, and Viola Pine. There were 11 members present. The next meeting will be held July 23.

COURT NEWS

Suit Filed

A suit has been filed in common pleas court by George Geiser against Thelma Smith in which the plaintiff seeks to enjoin the defendant from withdrawing funds from a bank. The firm of Mouser & Mouser represent the plaintiff.

Luther Guild Meets with Prospect Hostess

Special to The Star

PROSPECT—On Wednesday evening the Katherine Luther Guild met at the home of Mrs. Carl Russell with Mrs. Velma Hinck as assistant hostess. Mrs. Lloyd Beamer led the topic "Building Spiritual Defense," and Mrs. Clifford Ball conducted devotions. The guild voted to buy decorations for service men. Guests were Mrs. Earl Russell and Miss Virginia Henry.

The Missionary Aid society of the Lutheran church met Thursday with Mrs. Charles Reithmayer. Rev. Paul Dobsheister led devotions. Mrs. Harry Lauer had charge of the business meeting, and Mrs. Charles McNeil had charge of the program, "Building Spiritual Defense Through Our Lutheran Service Centers." Mrs. John Deum was a guest.

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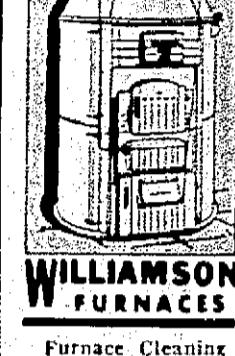
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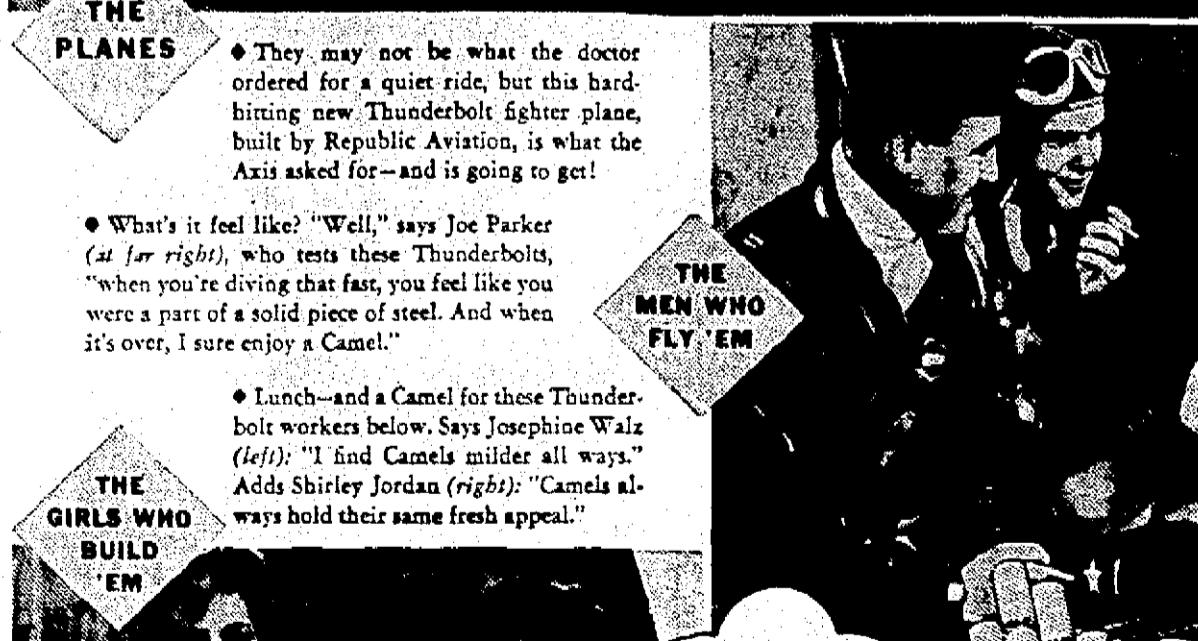
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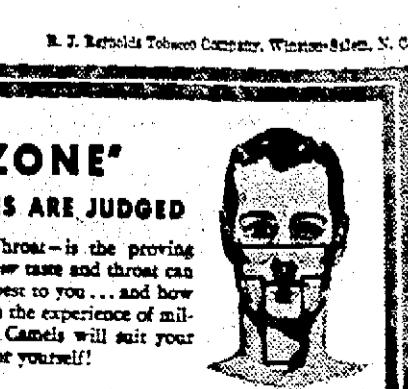
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Domestic Policy Listed As Weak Spot Of New Deal

GEORGE GALLUP
American Institute of Public Opinion

At 1, July 12—14 typical Americans from all sections of the country were asked their frank views about the present policies, and add up to

we have virtually about your foreign policy. What sphere represents the news and the our friends. Does to domestic issues seen unanimity generally, many of us feel that the of many Washington seen faulty in the men have not authority has been Some of purely political enter into too many home."

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replies given by voters to the two parts of the following question.

"1. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Roosevelt is handling our foreign policy—that is, our relations with other nations?"

The vote is

Approve 73%

Disapprove 14

Undecided 13

"2. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Roosevelt is handling our domestic problems—that is, our problems here at home?"

Approve 49%

Disapprove 42

Undecided 9

The significance of these results will become increasingly apparent as party strategists begin shaping their campaign ideas for 1944.

The Republicans will probably try to neutralize foreign policy issues by attacking all or most of the President's policies in that sphere, so that they can pitch their main campaign on domestic issues. The strategy of the Democrats will likely be to keep the nation's eyes focused on the President as commander in chief, stress his record in foreign affairs, and attempt to remove attention from domestic matters as far as possible.

Chief Criticisms

Each voter in the survey who said he disapproved of the President's handling of domestic problems was asked what specific criticism he had in mind.

The chief items named by the voters may be summarized under three headings, as follows:

1. Poor handling of the labor union situation.

2. Inefficient and sloppy administration; failure to pick the right men to be bureau and department heads, insufficient delegation of authority by the President.

3. Too much politics in the administration of home affairs, too much thinking about the next election and not enough about handling wartime problems.

All sections of the country approve of the President's handling of foreign affairs by high majorities. As for domestic affairs, the greatest dissatisfaction was voiced in the Middle West and in the Rocky Mountain and Pacific Coast States, the survey shows.

The sectional and group votes on domestic policy are as follows:

Dis.	Appt. appr.	Undec.	
N. Eng. and M. Atl.	53%	37%	10%
E. Cen.	48	42	10
W. Cen.	47	47	6
South	48	42	10
Far West	44	47	9
Prof. and Bus.	34	59	7
Farmers	39	53	8
Wh. Collar	44	47	9
Skilled, semi-skilled and unskilled	62	28	10

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CURTISS PLANT MAKES GAIN

Columbus Official Says Progress Made in Helldiver Production.

By The Associated Press

COLUMBUS, O., July 12—General Manager J. P. Davy of Curtiss-Wright's airplane division plants here asserted today most of the problems connected with production of "Helldiver" dive bombers for the Navy had been solved.

His assertion was made in a prepared statement replying to criticism by the Senate's Truman committee which said in a report issued at Washington that to date the company had not turned out a single "Helldiver" which the Navy considered usable as a combat airplane.

"Many tens of millions of dollars have been wasted," the committee said, "in producing parts, including four ingredients recommended by experts for stitching, burning, screening of manu-

script, and other materials. Just sufficient materials were used, however, to save time and money. Even greater savings in larger sizes. Get Messina."

The Senate group said evidence indicated that engines built in the Wright Aeronautical Corp. plant at Lockland, O., were sold to the government although they leaked gasoline and the government filed suit in federal court in Trenton, N. J., to collect damages. Wright Aeronautical is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Curtiss-Wright.

The committee charged Wright Aeronautical with forging and skipping inspection operations.

It also criticized what it termed Curtiss-Wright's action in advertising the Helldiver as the "world's best dive bomber."

Davy said Curtiss-Wright did not originate the claim that the Helldiver was the world's best dive bomber.

"They were the statements of Navy officials and of impartial military aviation experts," he asserted.

"This plant was requested to design and build a dive bomber superior in range, speed and bomb capacity to any single-engine dive bomber in service. Such an airplane has been designed and built."

"No one in this organization could deny that we have had our troubles in getting this complex and powerful dive bomber into production. But we are persistent in our belief that most of these problems have been solved."

TRAIN KILLS TWO
By The Associated Press

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Shift of War Workers Revealed in Survey

By The Associated Press

NEW YORK, July 12—A survey by the J. Walter Thompson Co. showed today worker-migration to war industry centers increased the civilian population of metropolitan markets by 2,400,000, despite the heavy drain to the armed forces.

Arno H. Johnson, the firm's director of media and research, said the survey, based on registrations for war ration book No. 2, also showed the shift had lowered civilian population in rural areas and smaller cities by 5,600,000.

Ohio cities included in the study were Canton, with a gain of 19,167, and Hamilton-Middletown, an increase of 7,596.

The survey was made in a prepared statement replying to criticism by the Senate's Truman committee which said in a report issued at Washington that to date the company had not turned out a single "Helldiver" which the Navy considered usable as a combat airplane.

"Many tens of millions of dollars have been wasted," the committee said, "in producing parts, including four ingredients recommended by experts for stitching, burning, screening of manu-

script, and other materials. Just sufficient materials were used, however, to save time and money. Even greater savings in larger sizes. Get Messina."

The Senate group said evidence indicated that engines built in the Wright Aeronautical Corp. plant at Lockland, O., were sold to the government although they leaked gasoline and the government filed suit in federal court in Trenton, N. J., to collect damages. Wright Aeronautical is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Curtiss-Wright.

The committee charged Wright Aeronautical with forging and skipping inspection operations.

It also criticized what it termed Curtiss-Wright's action in advertising the Helldiver as the "world's best dive bomber."

Davy said Curtiss-Wright did not originate the claim that the Helldiver was the world's best dive bomber.

"They were the statements of Navy officials and of impartial military aviation experts," he asserted.

"This plant was requested to design and build a dive bomber superior in range, speed and bomb capacity to any single-engine dive bomber in service. Such an airplane has been designed and built."

"No one in this organization could deny that we have had our troubles in getting this complex and powerful dive bomber into production. But we are persistent in our belief that most of these problems have been solved."

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Maybe you were going to get a new bus this year. Every year, you know, millions of people *did* get new ones. Or radios. Or refrigerators. Anyway, it's a cinch you'd have spent *some* money this year on things you can't buy now.

So what?

So maybe you can put *more* of your family earnings into War Bonds! Not 10% or 12% or 15% or 20%—but *all* you can! If you and every other American who has an income

will sharpen up your pencils and figure out how you can save an extra dollar here and another there that can go into War Bonds—if you'll *keep on* figuring and saving—you'll provide a weight of metal that will snap the Axis' spine like a rotten stick!



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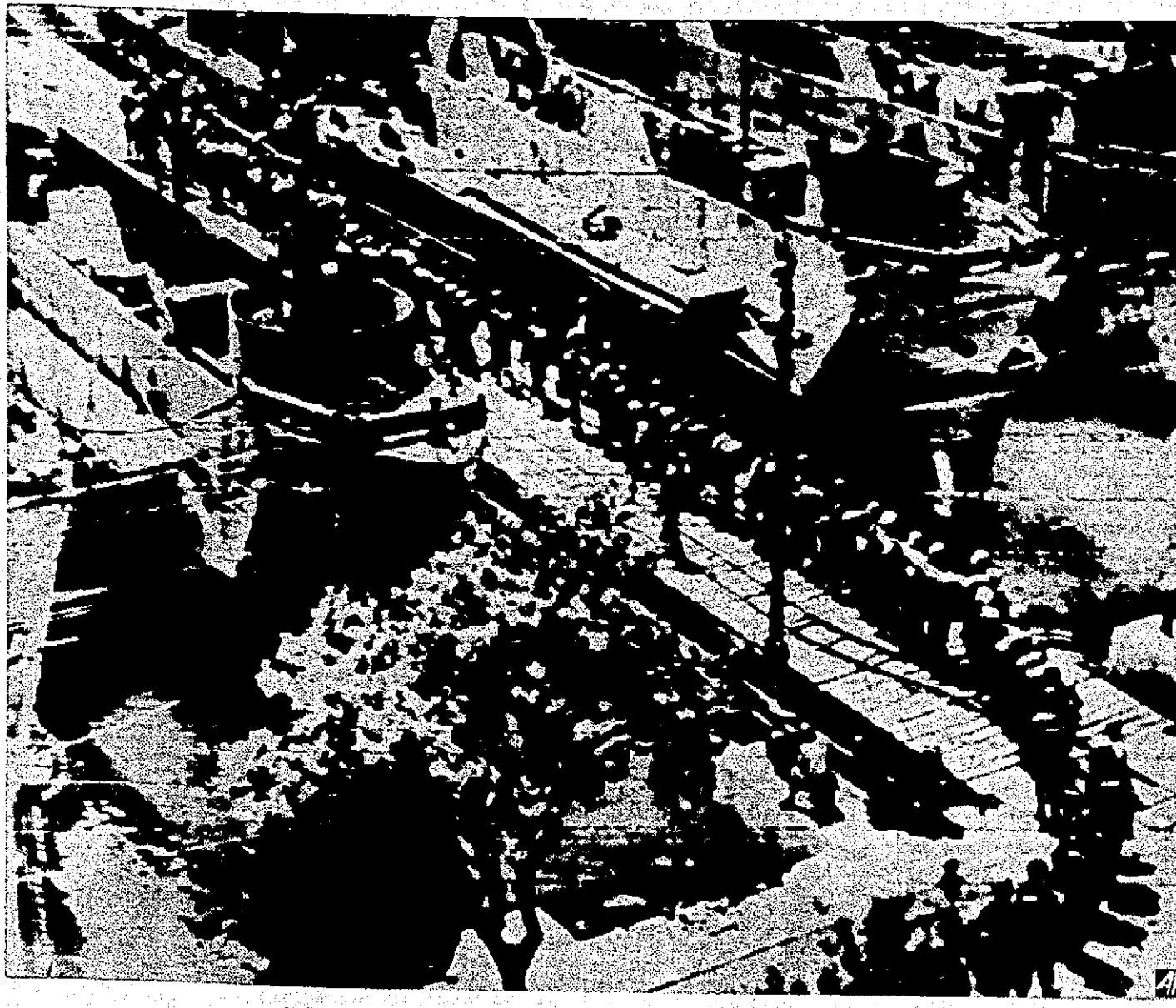
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**Wounded Marion
Gunner Receives
Star from Halsey**

Marine gunner, Richard E. S. of Marion, has been awarded a Purple Heart for conspicuous gallantry while performing special combat against the British Solomon Islands. By W. F. Halsey, U. S. Navy. Story from a hospital at Oak Harbor, from where he was recovering from injuries received in combat with Japanese forces. He was wounded Nov. 7, was admitted to a Navy base at Alameda, Calif., for the presentation on Aug. 11. Following the ceremony he was sent to the hospital at Oak Harbor, where he has been since January. The Marine has a silver star medal and a Purple Heart. The name of the gunner is the United States Air Force, who is an aviator, machine gunner, second class. He participated in attacks on the Japanese, the role of air bomber and the crew been the citation. He is to be especially commended for his work on Nov. 7, when on this day he was in a plane which attacked a formation of 11 Japanese bombers. While making a run on one of the enemy planes, in which Shively was flying, he was attacked by Japanese aircraft. Despite the loss of blood, by his actions he was instrumental in saving his pilot and airplane." Shively's mother, Mrs. Margaret Shively, of 134½ East George street, was home on sick leave in February. Prior to becoming a mother, she had been at Pearl Harbor and Guadalcanal. He received his boot training at the Gray Lakes training station and attended a specialist's school at Pearl and a school for bombardiers at San Diego.



**FIRST MORRAL MAYOR
DIES IN SPRINGFIELD**

L. C. Louthan, 88, Native of Dunkirk, Passes Away.

L. C. Louthan, 88, native of Dunkirk, Hardin county and the first mayor of Morral, died of infirmities of age, at 6 p. m. yesterday at his home in Springfield. He made his home at Morral where he conducted a hardware and grocery store for 25 years, moving to Springfield 25 years ago. He was instrumental in having the village incorporated, writing the incorporation papers, and served as mayor for a number of years.

The following children survive: Mrs. Henry Yeager of Greenfield, Ind.; Mrs. Martha Shyreigh of Covington, Ky.; Mrs. Marie Tubell, Mrs. Mary Williams, Dow and Diane Louthan of Springfield, and Nial Louthan of Edison, R. I. His wife died two years ago.

Funeral services will be conducted at the Jackson funeral home in Springfield and burial will be made at that place.

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TROOPS OFF FOR SICILY.

Assault troops carrying the attack to the Italian island of Sicily march aboard LCI (landing craft infantry) barges for the take-off in this picture, one of the first of the Sicilian invasion drive. Americans, British and Canadian armies slashed at Germans and Italians in this first campaign of the battle of Europe. (Associated Press Photo from U. S. Army Signal Corps Radiophoto, from Algiers.)

**Funeral Rites Held
for R. N. Heininger**

Funeral services for Robert N. Heininger of 451 Elmwood drive were held this afternoon in the Boyd-Uncapher funeral home with Rev. M. E. Hollensen of the Emanuel Lutheran church in charge. Burial was made in the Marion cemetery.

Serving as active pallbearers were William C. Kimball, William R. Isaly, Robert W. Byrd, James P. Baker, Edwin C. King and Wayne G. McCune, all of Marion. Honorary pallbearers were James G. Lytle, Clarence Sands, Kenneth A. Robinson, Perry Bachelder, Frank Barnhill, Austin Morrison and E. Bovie Morgan, all of Marion, and Joseph Ritter of Mansfield.

MIXUP

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Wallace in Spotlight

Until now, Wallace, considered an unlikely running mate again if the President chooses to enter the dash for a fourth term, has been tagged as the only real candidate for (1) head of a new overall Latin-American affairs bureau or department, or (2) roving ambassador to all of the republics in this hemisphere.

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CO. H BACK FROM CAMP



State Guard Unit
Makes Fine Record at
Zaleski.

Major H. Marion, Ohio state guard, arrived at the armory about 11:45 p.m. after spending last week at Camp Zaleski, Marion county where they had a rigorous field training for Capt. Carl Eberle reported. There were no casualties in the camp.

The company was on night duty for three nights and was placed on the alert for 36 hours. The entire 1st battalion was sent to Marion and was awaiting orders from Thursday until Friday. It was later disclosed that the regimental officers that the Marion area was to have been the destination if the situation became more serious.

The company also participated in a regimental review given for Col. J. W. House of Chillicothe, who was retiring after 34 years of military service. Pfc. John L. S. and Pfc. Francis Layton were elected as two of the four machine gunners assigned to guard the payroll Saturday.

After the camp closed for normal activities Saturday afternoon the entire company was taken to Lake Hope where they were treated to the various amusements offered by the park. Refreshments were served later at the barracks.

It was officially announced that Co. H made one of the best camp records of any company and that the officers were more than pleased with the promptness and willingness of the enlisted men of the company.

Regular school will be held tonight at the armory and the camp schedule will be reviewed and a new training program outlined based on actual camp experience. Drill will be held Tuesday night. Recruits are needed to bring the company to full strength. Another letter, Pvt. Ormond Miller, left today for the Army.

New MacArthur Lock Opened at Soo Canal

By The Associated Press

Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., July 12 — A mighty new lock of the Sault Ste. Marie Canal, named for Gen. Douglas MacArthur and constructed by the U. S. Army engineers in a record 13 months, was set today speeding heavily laden ore carriers to the nation's war-busy steel mills.

The new lock, deepest although not longest, of the four now in operation at this vital canal, was formally dedicated yesterday in ceremonies conducted against a stern military setting. It will permit passage of a greater tonnage through the Soo, which previously carried more freight than any other canal in the world.

Overhead floats a sight strange to American eyes—a balloon barrage. Steel-helmeted guards are deployed everywhere around the canal.

Vandenberg Demands Home Front War Cabinet

By The Associated Press

WASHINGTON, July 12—With the assertion that "the palace guard has got to be demobilized soon," Senator Vandenberg, Republican of Michigan, called today for the establishment of a war cabinet to help President Roosevelt direct activities on the home front.

Forecasting further reorganization in the administrative branch of government after Congress returns to work this fall, Vandenberg told an interviewer he believed there was a "relentless trend" underway in the country toward the formation of what he said "we loosely call a war cabinet."

"We need something of that kind instead of the existing kitchen cabinet in which there is very little confidence," he declared, adding: "The palace guard has got to be demobilized soon."

Allied Hospital Ship Sunk by Axis Bombs

By The Associated Press
ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN NORTH AFRICA, July 12—An allied hospital ship which was also beached and anchored three miles off the coast of Sicily was sunk Saturday night by enemy bombers but 400 wounded who were aboard were transferred successfully.

OHIOAN WINS DECORATION

By The Associated Press

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., July 12—First Lt. John J. Bell of Ironton, O., was awarded the oak leaf cluster in lieu of a second air medal yesterday by Lieut. Col. Curtis A. Keen. Twelve other members of the air force transport command at Rosedale Field received awards. All were made for transport flying accomplishments.

ACTRESS TO WED

By The Associated Press

HOLLYWOOD, Calif., July 12—This is Janet Blair's wedding day. The blonde movie actress will marry Sgt. Louis Bush, band music arranger at the Santa Ana air base and former pianist-arranger for the late Hal Kemp's orchestra, the actress' studio said.

DIES IN PLUNGE

By The Associated Press

CLEVELAND, July 12—Joseph E. Terpary, 30-year-old steel worker, died today after a 120-foot plunge from the Detroit-Superior high level bridge. He was rejected for army induction three weeks ago.

DROWNS IN RIVER

By The Associated Press

ZANESVILLE, O., July 12—Garfield Foreman, 34-year-old pottery worker, drowned in the Muskingum river yesterday while his wife and three children looked on helplessly. He had been swimming.

WEDS COMEDIAN. Shirley Temple (above) and Victor Moore, veteran stage and screen comedian, were married Saturday, Jan. 16, 1942, in Hollywood. Miss Temple, a dancer, met Moore during a stage engagement in Chinatown.

Allies Capture Syracuse, 9 Other Towns

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on the west and Syracuse on the east were the important towns of Ragusa and Modica.

30,000 Germans Engaged

(Algiers broadcasts said sharp fighting was taking place between allied forces and 30,000 Germans near Ragusa, a little more than 10 miles inland and almost midway between Syracuse and Licata. The broadcast was repeated by the London radio, and recorded in New York.)

In their swift thrust up the strategic eastern coastline of Sicily the allied forces were near Catania and only about 80 miles from Messina and the Italian mainland.

(The Morocco radio broadcast a report, recorded in London by Reuters, that the allies had captured Catania airfield.)

The series of allied victories was achieved with dazzling speed as troops seasoned by hard combat under the Stars and Stripes in Tunisia drove into the hardest core of enemy resistance around Licata and Gela and bore the brunt of the enemy counter-charges with determined fury.

British divisions with undying fame from the El Alamein battlefield of Egypt and the Wadi El Akarit line in Tunisia showed back the enemy inexorably in a tremendous strike toward Messina straits after taking Syracuse.)

The airline distance is only 30 miles from Syracuse to Catania, while Messina, across the narrow straits to the Italian mainland, is only 60 additional miles away.

Valuable Prize

Syracuse was an invaluable prize for the allies, for its splendid port is the best possible kind of base from which they might mount an invasion of Europe.

From a growing list of airfields captured during the week-end two at Gela and a third at Pachino already had fallen into allied hands before today's announcements—allied planes already were operating in devastating support of the ground columns.

The naval forces also contributed powerfully to the coordinated push, bombing defended areas near Pazzallo and the rail yard, although he slayy denied that it was he who clubbed Oakes to death. Oakes, who discovered the second largest gold mine in the world, the Lake Shore in Canada, became a British citizen in 1915.

THE BODY OF

Sir Harry Oakes (top photo), 68, American born multi-millionaire, was found with wounds on the head, on his charred bed in Naussau, the Bahamas. The knight's son-in-law, Alfred de Marigny, (bottom photo), was held on a formal charge of murder although he flatly denied that it was he who clubbed Oakes to death. Oakes, who discovered the second largest gold mine in the world, the Lake Shore in Canada, became a British citizen in 1915.

Axis Forces on Sicily

Estimated at 144,000

By The Associated Press

AN ALLIED COMMAND POST IN THE MEDITERRANEAN AREA, July 10—(Delayed)—Allied sources said today enemy forces defending Sicily might consist of 12 divisions.

(The total thus would range up to perhaps 144,000 men. London sources on Saturday placed the total axis forces on Sicily as ranging upwards to 400,000 men.)

Two of these probably are German, the remaining ten being five Italian coastal divisions and five Italian infantry divisions.

Coal Shortage Cuts Ohio Steel Production

By The Associated Press

YOUNGSTOWN, O., July 12—Carnegie-Illinois Steel Corp. today reduced output of its six big Ohio works blast furnaces here nearly 25 per cent for a second time as a result of the recent coal strike.

To conserve coke, the blast furnaces output has been reduced to that of four and a half furnaces. This likely will be reflected in lowered steel tonnage output because use of more cold iron will lengthen time of open hearth heats.

UNION FAILS TO WIN

By The Associated Press

WASHINGTON, July 12—The national labor board announced today AFL United Brick & Clay workers failed to win a collective bargaining election last June 28 among employees of the Pflueger Jointless Firebrick Co. (Lawrence county) O. Ten votes were cast for the union, and 19 against, the report said.

OHIOAN WINS DECORATION

By The Associated Press

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., July 12—First Lt. John J. Bell of Ironton, O., was awarded the oak leaf cluster in lieu of a second air medal yesterday by Lieut. Col. Curtis A. Keen. Twelve other members of the air force transport command at Rosedale Field received awards. All were made for transport flying accomplishments.

ACTRESS TO WED

By The Associated Press

HOLLYWOOD, Calif., July 12—This is Janet Blair's wedding day. The blonde movie actress will marry Sgt. Louis Bush, band music arranger at the Santa Ana air base and former pianist-arranger for the late Hal Kemp's orchestra, the actress' studio said.

DIES IN PLUNGE

By The Associated Press

CLEVELAND, July 12—Joseph E. Terpary, 30-year-old steel worker, died today after a 120-foot plunge from the Detroit-Superior high level bridge. He was rejected for army induction three weeks ago.

DROWNS IN RIVER

By The Associated Press

ZANESVILLE, O., July 12—Garfield Foreman, 34-year-old pottery worker, drowned in the Muskingum river yesterday while his wife and three children looked on helplessly. He had been swimming.

WEDS COMEDIAN. Shirley Temple (above) and Victor Moore, veteran stage and screen comedian, were married Saturday, Jan. 16, 1942, in Hollywood. Miss Temple, a dancer, met Moore during a stage engagement in Chinatown.

has been on a slightly increased scale.

"Defended areas near the coast town of Pazzallo, 12 miles west of Cape Carretta, and the rail road line between Syracuse and Ragusa were bombarded last night by our destroyers."

"The surrender of Pazzallo was accepted by the commanding officer of a destroyer during the early afternoon Sunday."

"Our ground forces have continued to make good progress."

"During the course of the day seven enemy counterattacks which were being made with tanks have been repulsed and at least 2,000 prisoners have been taken."

"It can now be stated that the following major towns and ports have been captured by our forces:

"Syracuse, Avola, Pachino, Pazzallo, Scoglitti, Gela, Licata, Ispica, Rosolini and Note."

Reinforcements Roll In

The headquarters announcement said the allied navies continued to roll reinforcements of men and supplies onto all beaches seized in the 100-mile stretch of Sicilian coast yesterday despite increased air opposition, while ground forces made good progress and repulsed all enemy counterattacks.

Allied storm forces, firmly established along 100 miles of the southeastern Sicilian coast, fought battles to expand their positions with negligible losses.

Great columns of transports and merchant ships, ably herded by powerful flotillas for warships, still were pouring troops and supplies ashore, and air fleets dotted the sky, giving protection from enemy attack and lending a helping hand to ground troops by bombing axis concentrations.

2,000 Ships in Assault

A British war correspondent, Edward Gilling, reported from an advanced post that the invasion armada totaled some 2,000 ships—more than double the record-breaking 850 used in the invasion of North Africa last November.

Four major steel companies owned "captive" pits employing about 3,000 men resumed operations, and a half dozen smaller mines in the area were reported partially operating. About 14,000 men still were absent from the mines.

Poving pickets who last week forced an almost complete shutdown of the pits which supply metallurgical coal to Pittsburgh district street mills virtually disappeared today.

But despite the lack of pickets, miners at the big Gates operation of the H. C. Frick Coke company, a U. S. Steel subsidiary, refused to work. It was at this mine on Saturday that nearly 200 pickets blocked the way of 500 diggers.

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Gela was the first strategic landing point mentioned in an official announcement. In the first eyewitness account from a correspondent, Ross Munro of the Canadian Press also told of landings at Pachino on the southeastern tip by Canadian forces.

German Report

German broadcasts admitted allied bridgeheads were forged near Gela, at Cape Passero near Pachino, at Licata 15 miles west of Gela, and south of Syracuse along the coast line in southeast Sicily, where our troops continue to advance their way inland.

American troops apparently completely controlled the vital southern port of Gela, with its important road railway facilities approximately 55 miles west of the southeastern tip of the island.

The allied command officially said that American and RAF fighters "maintained control" of the air over the advancing allied troops.

The official air report said 45 enemy planes were destroyed yesterday, compared with the loss of nine allied aircraft.

The enemy obviously was trying to build up forces for a counter-attack, for pilots reported heavy troop movements on many roads leading to southeastern Sicily.

The resulting raids on transport by the A-36 Mustangs equalled in fury any strafing in the African campaign.

Communications Hit

Four-engined bombers attacked essential communication systems



Retired Railroad Worker Passes Away at Bucyrus

Special to The Star

BUCYRUS, July 12—Fred L. Court, 82, retired railroad employee and former resident of Galion, died of bronchial asthma Sunday in the home of his daughter, Mrs. Ruth Stevens, following an illness of four weeks. A native of Cleveland, he was married to Etta Kenton, deceased.

Two daughters, Mrs. Stevens and Mrs. Alice Spiegel of Mansfield, and two sons, Clarence E. Court of Galion, and George C. Peacock, N. Y., survive.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Tuesday at the Wise funeral home here, and burial will be made in Fairview cemetery at Galion.

MISS ANNA M'MURRAY DIES AT HOME HERE

III Four Months: Funeral Services Wednesday.

Miss Anna Elizabeth McMurray died at 1:30 p.m. Saturday at her home at 807 East Church street, following an illness of four months.

She was the daughter of Dr. A. B. McMurray, native of Sycamore, and Charlotte Ann Crammer McMurray, a native of Fredricktown, O.

Miss McMurray was a lifelong resident of Marion and attended the public schools here. She was a member of the First Presbyterian church and Lydia Chapter No. 33, Order of the Eastern Star. Four sisters, Miss Harriet S. McMurray, Miss Henrietta L. McMurray, Miss Mildred B. McMurray, and Mrs. Zeb Stou, all of 807 East Church street, survive. A number of nieces and nephews also survive. Two sisters, and three brothers, one the late Dr. James A. McMurray, preceded her in death.

Funeral services will be conducted at 2:30 p.m. Wednesday at the home, with Rev. Erwin Bailey, pastor of the Agosta Methodist church, officiating. Burial will be made in the Marion cemetery. Friends may call at the home in death.

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All Star Contest At Philly Tuesday

It Looks Like Shibe Park Would Be Jammed To Rails with 32,480.

By EDDIE PEDER

Associated Press Sports Writer
PHILADELPHIA, July 12.—The All Star game in the major leagues may have to be at least 4 hours, or a 4½ or 5 hours, when they decided six minutes ago, to put the all-star game in Philadelphia this year. It was at their winter powwow that the all-star games were to be in the last half of the year, average 3½ hours, the game would last for the last two years. It comes off Saturday in Shibe park, and it's probably the last time the managers have made sure the pop parties were cared for the purpose of impressing.

For when the National and the American start Monday at 6 p.m. (ETW), it looks as if every car of the 32,480 seats will be full of customers and the S. R. O. sign will be out.

The length of the "phantastic" Philadelphia 25th anniversary of the All Star game as it was, have brought the players to the park.

As for the game itself, early arrivals were giving the National League a real ride, pointing out that the senior circuit was sporting more pitching and, what is even rarer, more power. Still the visiting Indians' pitchers have installed the American leaguers 5 to 8 favorites to make it eight out of 11 in these standings.

The July meeting of the bureau set aside most over whether Billy Southworth would start his St. Louis Cardinal age, Mort Cooper, again for the National League, or would give his southpaw specialist, Howie Pollett, a crack at opening the fireworks.

Some of the sisters pointed out that Cooper rated a chance to set "hank" for the way the Americans came up in the game with two homers in the first inning last year. The rest maintained that since Pollett is due to go into the air corps Thursday, Billy the kid would let him start this one or a final fling.

Spud Chandler, the one-time Georgia footballer, was due to open for the Americans, but he served up a full nine-inning "meal" yesterday, and it was believed Joe McCarthy might go to his other Yankee star, Tony Bonham.

Summary of Sports

News of Week-End

By The Associated Press

LOS ANGELES—Gunder Haegg, Swedish track star, ran two miles in 8:52.8 to clip five full seconds off American record of Don Lash. G.H. Dodds second by 125 yards.

NEW YORK—Louis B. Mayer's Thumbs Up, paying \$22 for \$2, was surprise winner of Butler handicaps, traveling mile and three-sixteenths in 1:58.2 to lower track record by second.

ATLANTA—Lieut. Rex Enright, former football coach at South Carolina, named to similar post with Georgia pre-flight. Lieut. Frank Kimbrough, late of Baylor, to tutor North Carolina pre-flight squad.

SOUTH BEND, IND.—Frank E. Hering, 69, first paid football coach at Notre Dame, died.

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THE MARION STAR

NEW RECORD IS SET AT OHIO TRAP SHOOT

By The Associated Press
CINCINNATI, July 12—Oscar Gandy set a new national record and for trapshooting at state trapshooting invitational, despite an unusual, unpredictable and uncontrollable wind.

Part of the 55th annual, 2½-day trapshooting tournament, Gandy, 23, an increase of 11 over last year when a national record was set.

C. P. H. of Toledo, 23, of Toledo broke his record in an attempt to win the title at yesterday's invitational. He fired 8,850 registered targets at 10 yards (fast) for an 800 national average of 100, for his number.

J. C. D. of Toledo, 24, of Lima was the top gunner, shooting 8,700.

John C. Kunkel of Columbus and J. H. of Springfield, 23, also.

The men's 10-yard title went to Mr. H. B. Rader of Jeffersonville, 21, for 81 of 100, then repeated Paul of Novi, 21, of Waukesha, 23 to 27 in a 25-target shootout.

Twenty-year-old Jerry Deters of Toledo won the 100-yard crown.

He was the amateur all-around champion with 236 of 250.

Three in 100 targets at 16 yards were Walter Ezzard and Albert Schoenlein of Dayton, C. G. Wenzel of Hamilton, C. C. Kunkel of Columbus and H. M. Jones of Hamilton, 21. They declined amateur status and Wenzel was the 100-yard and Karol Kunkel of Waukesha was the amateur all-around champion with 236 of 250.

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The news in Detroit that he was named to the American League all-star squad for the game July 13 in Philadelphia. Wakefield is a substitute for Charley Keller of the New York Yankees, who was injured. (A. P. Photo)

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MORROW CO. HONOR ROLL IS DEDICATED

Newark Man Speaks at Mt. Gilead Ceremony.

Special to The Star
MT. GILEAD, July 12—Men in the United Nations' armed forces have gone forth on the greatest mission to which men have ever been called, Major Charles W. W. Montgomery of Newark said here Sunday afternoon in dedicating the Morrow county honor roll, containing the names of 650 residents of the county now in service. Approximately 3,000 persons attended the service.

Major Montgomery stressed the need for civilians and soldiers alike to battle to maintain the principles of American democracy. The present world conflict is the most gigantic struggle of all time.

He declared that the world was too small for two vastly opposed philosophies of government and rights of individuals to exist side by side. Major Montgomery emphasized the need to carry the war to a successful conclusion and to end the wrong philosophy that the individual is a creature of the state.

The honor roll was presented to the county by J. L. Mateer, one of the co-chairmen of the committee of T. P. Johnston post of the American Legion responsible for erecting the board. Judge Benji Olds accepted the roster on behalf of the county.

A massed band composed of musicians from the Mt. Gilead, Cardington, Cheserville, and Johnsonville High school bands played during the service.

The four bands, Rex D. Jenkins' post drum and bugle corps, representatives of patriotic organizations, service clubs, Boy and Girl Scouts, farm and labor organizations and the Mt. Gilead Saddle club paraded from the Mt. Gilead High school building to north square here prior to the dedication ceremony.

Two Given Fines Under Anti-Noise Ordinance

Special to The Star

BUCKEYE, July 12—The second violators within a week of the city's new anti-noise ordinance, Robert H. Phillips and Miss Rose Schnabel, proprietor and waitress of the Northern restaurant on North Sandusky avenue, were brought before Mayor William F. Whiteamire on an affidavit signed by Police Chief Arthur Stuckert, and fined \$5 and costs. George Petroff, operator of another establishment in the same block was given a similar fine last week.

The charges grew out of complaints of music machine operating after the 11 o'clock deadline provided by the new legislation.

BYRON NELSON WINS

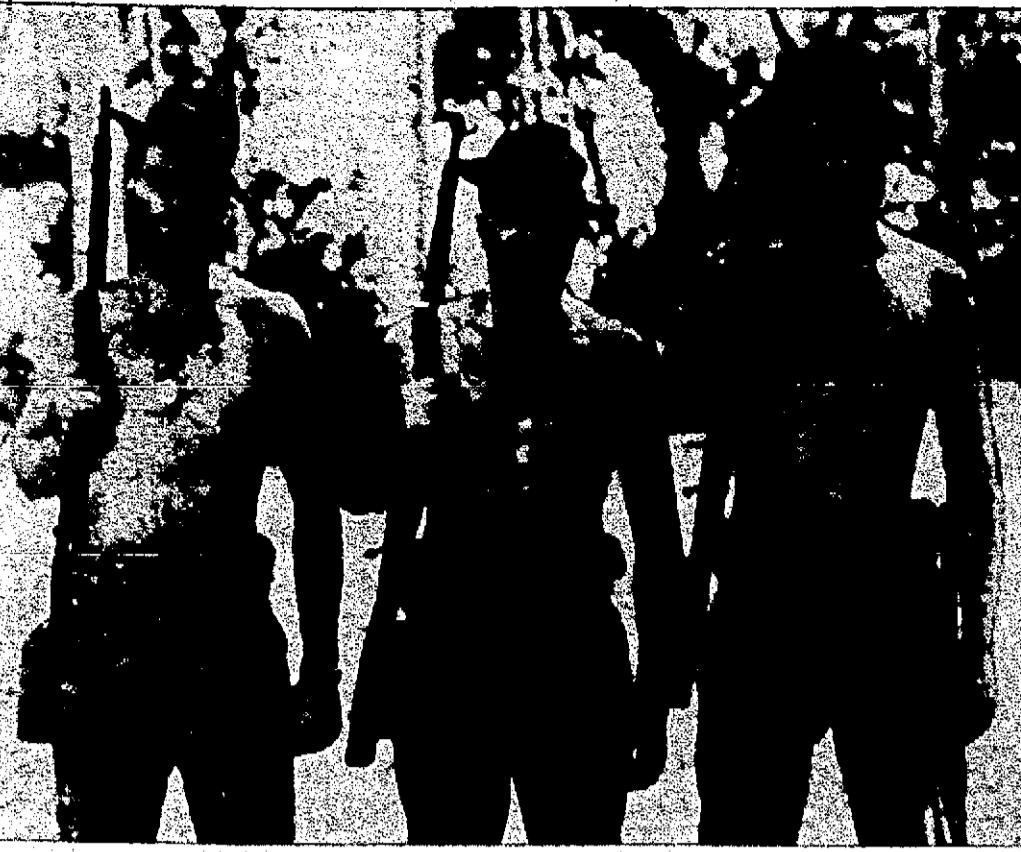
By The Associated Press

FORT KNOX, KY., July 12—Byron Nelson of Toledo captured the Kentucky open golf championship here yesterday and won himself a \$1,000 war bond. He fired a 273 in the 72-hole tourney—15 strokes under par.

MRS. ALICE NELSON DIES

KENTON, July 12—Funeral was held Sunday in Beavercreek for Mrs. Alice T. Nelson, former Durkirk resident who died in the Lyle Convalescent home there Thursday.

We Can Help You With Weds Washington Girl



NO WONDER JAPS GAVE UP. Assuming the three Madden brothers are fair samples of their fellow Marines, it's no wonder the Japs are giving up in the Solomons. The three rugged, bearded Maddens are pictured on Guadalcanal just before they left for home in Glendale, Calif. Left to right are Al, John and Walt.

Court News From Adjoining Counties

CRAWFORD COUNTY

BUCKEY—Common please—Divorce action filed by Pauline V. Hiler against Fred Martin of Galion. The plaintiff asks in addition to a divorce decree, custody and support for a minor child, alimony and other relief. A temporary injunction restraining the defendant from molesting plaintiff or their child was granted.

Probate—Marriage license issued to Donald LeRoy Churchill of Tomah, Wis., soldier, now of Camp Merrill, and Muriel Jane Boettcher, St. Paul, Minn., mail clerk; Robert Glenn Shupp, Galion sailor, now of New London, Conn., and Dorothy Grace Puhn of Crestline.

WYANDOT COUNTY

UPPER SANDUSKY: Common please—Hallie D. Putnam of west of Upper Sandusky seeks a divorce from Roy F. Putnam.

Margie A. Vance by her next friend, Dora Beard, asks for a divorce from Dwight E. Vance.

HARDIN COUNTY

KENTON: Common please—Glendora Bryant against Fred Bryant, divorce decree to plaintiff, gross neglect of duty charged.

Probate—Marriage license issued to Steve Barcia, Kenton grinder, and Mrs. Louise Graves of Kenton, and to Charles N. Fout, Mt. Victory soldier, and Miss Betty M. Patrick of Mt. Victory.

Harding High School Band Practice Tonight

The Harding High school band will hold a rehearsal at Central Junior High school tonight at 7:30 o'clock. Homer E. Huffman, director, announced today. Plans are in progress, Mr. Huffman stated, for an open air concert to be given at the Harding stadium in the near future. All band members are requested to be present for tonight's rehearsal.

Carey Man in Navy

Special to The Star

CAREY—Miss Winifred Sumrell of Washington, D. C., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence C. Sumrell of Ayden, N. C., became the bride of Duane E. Kromer, Phm. 2/c U. S. Navy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kromer of Carey, Thursday at the Our Lady of Consolation church in Carey. Rev. Ambrose Finnegan, O.M.C., officiated at the double ring ceremony.

The bride was attended by Miss Maxine Kromer of Barberston and Donald Kromer of Basscom was best man. A dinner was served at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kromer. In the afternoon, the couple left on a wedding trip to North Carolina where they will visit the bride's parents. Mrs. Kromer has been employed by the Bell Telephone company in Washington. Mr. Kromer attended Carey High school and is in the U. S. Navy.

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REV. HOLLOWAY GIVES SERMON

Addresses Union Service as Farewell Before Entering Naval Service.

Rev. J. B. Holloway, pastor of Trinity Baptist church, was guest preacher in the First Reformed church Sunday night in the second of a series of union services of Marion churches.

Rev. Holloway will leave tomorrow to report for special training in the Naval Training School for chaplains at the College of William and Mary, Williamsburg, Va., and the sermon last night was his final address before entering the service.

He introduced the theme of his sermon, "Fighting Against God," by discussing the apparent absurdity of the phrase, "fighting against the Almighty." He stated that in both ancient and modern history many incidents have been discovered where men and nations have pitted their wisdom and strength and have engaged in mortal combat against God.

He then traced the aggressive attitude of Jesus' enemies and showed that the bitter persecution of His followers failed to exterminate the Christian religion, but instead caused the greatest expansion in all human history.

The minister stated that with God are the final issues and destinies of men and nations and whatever is of God cannot be overthrown totally, though it may be vigorously opposed, while it may be run upon, it cannot be run down. He applied the principle to the world situation today and predicted that since the axis powers have been consistently and deliberately attempting to stamp out every vestige of true religion their fighting must inevitably come to naught.

The speaker complimented the churches for their fine spirit of cooperation and urged them to undertake even greater projects in the matter of Christian education in schools as a preventive measure against low moral standards.

KENTON—Kenneth W. Findley, former Kenton High school band director, has been promoted to bandmaster of the Camp Endicott (R. I.) Military band, the camp drum and bugle corps and the camp's dance orchestra, friends here learned.

GALION—A daughter was born Sunday at City hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Levings of Mt. Gilead. Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Stockdale, of Route 3, Mt. Gilead, are the parents of a daughter, born Sunday at City hospital.

GALION—A son was born Friday at City hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Beaupre of Galion.

Methodist Class Meets with Richwood Hostess

RICHWOOD—The Reserve class of the Central Methodist church met Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Minnie Baker. The Scripture lesson was read by Mrs. Edna Baker. Contests conducted by Mrs. Edna Baker were won by Mrs. Naomi Yarrington.

Staff Sgt. Dwight Garber of New Orleans, La., accompanied by his wife visited several days last week with Mrs. Bertha Boltenbaugh.

Mrs. Etta White was overcome with the heat while working around her home Monday. For some time her condition was serious.

Mrs. Gertrude Hancock received a letter from her son Fred Wednesday written June 16 stating that he is now in North Africa.

Pvt. Everett M. Moore of Camp Shelby, Miss., is spending a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Moore.

Lieut. F. G. Wiley of Camp Lee, Va., is spending a furlough with C. O. Wiley and family.

TUESDAY AND WED.
THE BUMSTEADS
"BLONDIES GOES TO COLLEGE"
"MAD DOCTOR OF MARKET STREET"
PLUS, CARTOON COMIC

TONITE **"The Immortal Sergeant" and "Calabooze"**
Matinee - 20c
Night - 25c
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"WHO DONE IT?"
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Last Times Today
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MOVIE CHAT. Rear Admiral Francis R. Barry of the British Navy chats with Film Actress Deanna Durbin during a visit to Holloway. Barry sees American shipbuilding "turning the tide of victory towards the United Nations."

Crawford Co. Towns Affected by Ruling

By The Associated Press

CLEVELAND, July 12—Sixty cents an hour for common labor in manufacturing plants became the floor today for the regional wage board's "sound and moral" rates.

The board's unanimous decision that it would not set rates below that figure failed to increase the pay in four Ohio towns where the rate was 55¢ cents an hour.

The towns are: Bucyrus, Galion, Crestline and Lancaster.

"Sound and tested rates" generally were 10 per cent below the average paid, the board said.

which was discussed in connection with the summer theme "Pathways That Lead to God." Keith McMurray president for the meeting and short talks were given by Catherine Barchet and Catherine Firstenberger.

The meeting next week will be held at Prospect Street Methodist church with the young people of First United Brethren in charge.

Allied Forces Invading Sicily Are Identified

By The Associated Press

LONDON, July 12—Correspondents' dispatches from North Africa today identified the main forces invading Sicily as the American Seventh army and the British Eighth armies.

The American seventh, commanded by Lieut. Gen. George S. Patton Jr., was believed made up largely of the troops previously known as the U. S. second army corps which fought in Tunisia, plus some armor, and Infantry and air-borne divisions.

The famous British eighth, commanded by Gen. Sir Bernard L. Montgomery, was believed to have been considerably reshuffled, with many new units added and several older ones standing by in reserve.

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and 10:00
Palace
Malline - 40c
Night - 50c
Children - 10c

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CHARLES COBURN • FRANK CRAVEN • BILLIE BURKE • JOHN HUSTON
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